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The Weather.
Jan. 11, 1894.—At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.13; at 5 p.m., 30.17. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 41 deg. and 54 deg. Maximum temperature, 61 deg.; minimum temperature, 36 deg. Character of weather, clear. Barometer reduced to sea level.

The concert of the Loretto Quartette, with the dramatic readings by the well-known tragedian, Clay Clement, promises to be a brilliant musical and society event. Several of the prominent clubs have already engaged tickets, and the prospects are that on Friday evening, January 15, Simpson Tabernacle will be crowded to the doors. Referring to Mr. Clement, the Detroit Free Press says: "Mr. Clement is one of the coming actors of the generation. He is an educated and otherwise well-bred man, a student, and the possessor of unusual physical gifts for acting. He has joined the ranks of the legitimate stars, and has already achieved a notable distinction in the higher forms of the drama." Tickets, 50 cents and 75 cents; no extra for reservations. Blanchard-Fitzgerald Music Company has the chart, Nos. 112 and 115 South Spring street. Secure your seats today.

Low rates to San Diego by the sea, over the famous surf line of the Southern California Railway (Santa Fe route). It will only cost you \$5 for the round trip, ticket good for five days. They are also selling round-trip tickets good for ten days, at \$7.50. Trains leave La Grande station at 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Call at city ticket office, No. 129 North Spring, for further information.

The letters and words of praise received from people who, for different ailments, used Bellan's La Grippe Cure are many, and it is a reward and comfort for which I return many thanks. J. H. Bellan, No. 1023 Downey avenue, East Los Angeles, Cal.

On Tuesday last, L. A. Gould, one of the pioneers of California, died suddenly at Long Beach of heart disease. His remains were embalmed by H. W. & B. See of this city, and taken to Santa Clara yesterday by his son, E. H. Gould.

Select your Brivawater lots and put up your deposit, for we can deliver them. One hundred lots already sold. First First come first served. Call at 118 S. Broadway, or at the tract, and ask for Bunch.

First political talk in the series of the Young Men's Christian Association will be on Saturday night, by Gov. J. J. Goss. All young men should hear it.

For good single, double and tally-ho turnouts, at reasonable rates, go to the St. George Stable, No. 519 South Broadway. J. L. Sanderson, proprietor.

Fifty cents round trip on Terminal Railway to Long Beach and San Pedro. Good going Saturday and Sunday, returning Monday.

Five thousand sacks corn wanted at highest market price. B. A. Holmes, No. 41 North Main street, Baker Block.

Enamel-finish cabinets, \$1 per dozen. We maintain our reputation for fine work. Bijou Studio, No. 221 South Spring.

The Dewey Gallery leads. One dollar per dozen—\$1 for the best cabinets, none better. No. 17 South Main street.

Good buys in the Hammett & Denker tract—see ad. Fraser, Cook & Pearsons.

Redlands oranges, ripest and sweetest. Althouse Bros., 105 West First. Tel. Eastern oranges fresh every day, bulk and cans. Valentine, Broadway Market.

Insure your property with Charles A. Baskerville, No. 218 North Main street.

Mantels, tile, brass fittings, hardware, lumber, H. Bohman, 34 S. Spring.

Look up our ad for Hammett & Denker tract. Fraser, Cook & Pearsons.

Buy the Whitney make trunk. Factory, No. 34 North Main street.

Grand discount sale at Kan-Koo this week. See ad. this page.

Martin's Camp, Wilson's Peak, will be open all winter.

Stoves and ranges, C. T. Paul's No. 130 South Main.

Opals and Indian relics at Campbell's. Dr. Cowley removed to Bryson Block. See Dr. Royer's ad in "Personals."

Another large excursion party arrived over the Santa Fe yesterday.

There will be a meeting of the Alumni Society of the Los Angeles High School at the office of Walter Haas, No. 217 New High street, tomorrow evening.

The public is invited to attend the meeting of the Central W.C.T.U., at Temperance Temple, this afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, when the subject will be, "Equal Suffrage."

The many friends of W. B. Wilshire of San Francisco will regret to learn that little hope is entertained of his recovery. Mr. Wilshire is a brother of Mrs. C. C. Carpenter of this city.

The Board of Education will hold a special meeting at 4 o'clock, this afternoon, for the purpose of considering the matter of furnishing better heating and ventilating appliances at the High School.

Miss Katharine McFarland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan McFarland, of Figueroa street, is still dangerously ill with typhoid fever. Two physicians and trained nurses are in constant attendance.

The meetings conducted by Rev. W. B. Barr at the United Presbyterian Church grow in interest and with an increased attendance. Services this evening at 7:30 o'clock, and on Saturday at 2 p.m. Communion Sunday.

Articles of incorporation were filed with the County Clerk yesterday by the California Mantel Company, formed for the purpose of manufacturing, dealing in, buying and selling mantels, tiles, grates, art-glass, etc., with a capital stock of \$10,000, of which \$300 has been actually subscribed. Board of directors: E. C. Wilson, A. J. Wilson, G. B. Wilson, A. P. Wilson and G. C. Sater.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

A WILLING PRISONER.

Police Protection Asked for by a Chinese Woman.

Tired of the Life of a Slave She Escapes from Her Keeper and Comes to the City Prison—Her Story.

On the edge of a rough cot, in one of the open cells of the City Prison, a Chinese woman sat last evening, preparing to spend a second night in jail. She was not there as a prisoner, although the heavy iron-grated door leading into the corridor was shut and bolted, but had done what few women of her nationality have the will to do, and that was to throw off the authority of her master and apply to the police for protection.

As she sat on the bed she seemed almost sorry that she had taken the step, for tears rolled down her face and she worked nervously with the colored bracelets about her wrists, murmuring to herself meanly. She was a woman of perhaps thirty years of age, small, like most of her sisters and of the "better" caste of heathen, judging from the minute size of her feet, which had been drawn from out the sliver lining of her clumsy-looking shoes as she sat perched upon the couch. She could not speak English very well, but managed to relate to a Times reporter the story of her wrongs in a fairly coherent manner.

She said first that her name was "Annie," and then continued after drying her eyes and pushing her bare feet back into the shoes: "I live here one year. Long time 'go live in Fresno. When I come here I go live in Ah Wing's house down in Chinatown. Wing he belly bad man. He take all my money, go gamble, then come back and he say he kill me if I no give more money. I 'fraid of him and run 'way. I like belly much go San Francisco, so Wing no find me."

That was her whole story, told in the fewest words possible. The police department will do all in their power to help the woman through to San Francisco, where she will probably be placed in one of the Christian missions.

Beautiful Catalina island. Regular steamer service from San Pedro. Two and one-half hours' sail to a different country and charming climate. Inquire Wilmington Transportation Co., No. 120 West Second street.

PAIR visitors from Figueroa street, Mrs. Slauson, Mrs. Stinson and Mrs. Severance, inspected the Brivawater lots Tuesday. Lots \$400 to \$1,000; inside city, on electric car, \$100 each.

WALL paper down. The Chicago Wall Paper House, No. 237 South Spring street, has outgrown its present quarters, and will move to the beautiful large store, No. 233 South Spring street, January 1. Low prices did it. We hang paper for 10 cents a roll, and sell fine paper for 50, 75c and 10c. Samples sent.

250 ENVELOPES, 50c; 1/2 ream writing paper, 25c. Langsdorfer, 214 West Second.

A NEW INVENTION. Buy the genuine Rochester Heater and Stove, \$3.50, at Meyer Bros., sole agents, No. 138 South Main street.

SUTTON BROS. have secured the contract to grade \$35 feet of streets in the Brivawater tract. Large lots \$400 to \$1,000, on electric cars, inside city, \$100 each.

IN all derangements of the liver a cure is certain if you take Simmons' Liver Regulator.

THE line is formed at No. 104½ South Broadway, to buy Brivawater lots.

MOTHERS, be sure and always use Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for your children while teething. It is the best of all.

LEMONS for sale on the trees. Also choice lands at San Gabriel, with artistic water, 200 acre, easy terms, located near the Hotel San Gabriel and railroad station. E. K. Alexander, room 4, New Wilson Block.

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241 S. MAIN ST., Rooms 3, 5, 7. Nine Years Practice in Los Angeles.

Nervous, Chronic, Blood, Kidney, Bladder and Skin DISEASES.

Surgical cases treated and all Surgical operations performed.

Broken Down Constitutions Reinvigorated.

Los Angeles Medical and Surgical Institute, 241 S. Main st. Hours—9 to 5; 7 to 8; Sunday, 10 to 12.

Northern Grown Trees From Portland Pearmount Nursery.

Raised on high fir and fern lands without irrigation or manure. Prunes, Peaches, Japan and other Plums, Almonds, and plants of the most wonderful shipping strawberry the world has known, and which took medal at the Columbian Exposition. AT LOW PRICES.

Come and see a carload of trees just arrived at yard on 4th st., between Spring and Broadway, or address, Hotel Westminster, Los Angeles.

C. F. HEINZEMAN, DRUGGIST AND CHEMIST, 222 NORTH MAIN ST., San Francisco Building. Telephone 61. Los Angeles, Cal.

Pioneer Truck Company. NO. 3 MARKET STREET. Piano, Furniture and all moving. Hags and freight delivered promptly to address. Telephone 122.

STILL AT LARGE.

Charles Baker's Assaultants Have Not Yet Been Captured.

The police and other officers of the law scoured the city yesterday in search of the two men who robbed Charles Baker of the river-bed near the Santa Fe depot Wednesday morning, but their efforts to find the bold footpads were not rewarded with success. The men appear to have either effectually secreted themselves or left the city, and before this undoubtedly have disposed of their ill-gotten booty. At about 10:30 o'clock Wednesday night the agent in charge at the Redondo depot telephoned to the police station that two suspicious-looking fellows were hanging around the railroad yards, and that one of them wore a cap and seemed to answer the description of the larger of Mr. Baker's assaultants. A mounted policeman was dispatched to the place without loss of time, but before he reached the depot the men had gone; and no trace of them was to be found about the premises.

Unlike the Dutch Process No Alkalies —OR— Other Chemicals are used in the preparation of W. Baker & Co.'s Breakfast Cocoa, which is absolutely pure and soluble.

It has more than three times the strength of Cocoa mixed with Starch, Arrowroot or Sugar, and is far more economical, costing less than one cent a cup. It is delicious, nourishing, and EASILY DIGESTED.

Sold by Grocers everywhere. W. Baker & Co., Dorchester, Mass.

TOURISTS Are advised not to delay their visit to Santa Barbara

Until February, March or April, when The Arlington is always crowded. Remember

The Arlington Hotel

Is not sufficiently large to accommodate all who yearly apply for accommodations during the above-named months. Therefore to secure the best and sunniest rooms

Make Your Visit Now!

Tonight the national association of Amateur Oarsmen meets at the Gilsey House, New York city.

The main business of the session will be to fix the date and place of holding the annual regatta. It is probable that Lake Chautauqua will be the point selected for the grand splashing of amateur oars which produces such a general ripple in aquatic circles.

A bigger ripple among buyers is being caused by our sale of Rattan Furniture and Screens. This week we offer a discount of 10 per cent on Chairs, Tables, Stools, Work Baskets, Screens, Cabinets, Easels and Baskets.

KAN-KOO, No. 110 S. Spring, opp. the Nadeau.

Indian Mexican Curios.

1000 Mexican Opals. 100 Navajo Blankets. 200 Indian Baskets.

Wholesale and Retail. We can sell these goods 20 per cent cheaper than any house on the Coast.

Campbell's Curio Store, 325 S. Spring Street, Bet. 3d and 4th sts.

Indian Stone Relics of Southern California.

Auction Today. At 10 o'clock a.m., 100 Sets Harness, 300 Buggy Whips, NO. 233 WEST FIRST STREET.

Consisting of Express, Delivery Wagons, Light Drives, Surrey and Carriage Harness. Sale positive, no reserve. J. H. & C. A. R. Auctioneers.

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It will be worth your while to attend our

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CUTTING SALE!

Only two weeks more to unload stock before inventory. Our prices will sell every article we quote; they are the greatest sales agents we have.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS.

We have cut all our Men's Fine Underwear in the following proportions. The finest and most complete assortment, and you are buying the best goods at about 50 cents on the dollar.

Men's Underwear—sold for 60c, cut to	39c	Men's Underwear—sold for \$1.50, cut to	98c
Men's Underwear—sold for 75c, cut to	48c	Men's Underwear—sold for \$2.50, cut to	\$1.50
Men's Underwear—sold for \$1.25, cut to	73c	Men's Underwear—sold for \$3.00, cut to	\$2.00

Boy's CLOTHING.

An immense stock of Boys' and Youths' Clothing thrown on the market at a reduction of 50 per cent. from former selling price; only the best makes carried. Unloading all we can at a price.

Boys' former \$3.50 Suits now	\$2.50	Boys' former \$6 Suits now	\$4.00
Boys' former \$5 Suits now	\$3.45	Boys' former \$10 Suits now	\$7.50

MEN'S HATS.

"Let all your Men's Fall Hats go at a price that will sell them," is the order to the department people. No one can show you a finer hat than the make of J. B. Stetson & Co.; their \$5 Derbys go at \$3.98. \$3.50, \$3 and \$2.50 Hats cut to \$1.50.

65c on the Dollar

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Don't put off for tomorrow what you can get today.

J. S. Turner's \$7.50 Men's Patent Leather Shoes, . . .	\$4.88
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M. S. Hewes's \$4.00 Men's Fine Calf shoes	2.60
Wright & Peters's \$5.00 Ladies' Fine Shoes,	3.25
Dugan & Hudson's Children's Fine Shoes . . . 65c on the \$1	

At 65 cents on the dollar you can purchase the finest footwear manufactured in the United States. This stock does not grow—it gets less daily—and if you want to participate in its benefits there is no time like the present.